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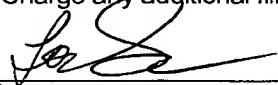
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 3, 2002 (Paper No. 5), please
amend the above-identified U.S. Patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please rewrite claim 36 as shown in the Replacement Claims: